

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No. 10/552,215	Applicant(s) LAM ET AL.	
	Examiner James O. Hansen	Art Unit 3637	

All Participants:

(1) James O. Hansen.

(2) Mr. John Janick.

Date of Interview: 12 March 2009

Type of Interview:

☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☒ No
If Yes, provide a brief description: .

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:
n/a

Claims discussed:
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Prior art documents discussed:
n/a

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:
See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

☒ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.

☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

/James O. Hansen/
Primary Examiner, Art Unit 3637

Status of Application: In condition for allowance

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Time: ~

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: In an effort to expedite the prosecution of the application process [compact prosecution], the examiner contacted applicant and proposed minor amendments to the claims [basically, clarifying the wording concerning the interaction of the serrations with regards to the guide and support bracket] in order to clearly place the application in condition for allowance. Figure 1A was also amended in order to include a reference number on the drawing. Applicant agreed to the proposed changes as outlined in the attached examiner's amendment. It is further noted that claim 6 was amended in order to clarify an aspect of the force supplying means i.e., from producing a resilient force to locking the guide onto the support bracket, in keeping with the language as recited in claim 2 upon which claim 6 depends .